

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - September 2008

Location	Date/Time	Deaths & Injuries	Property & Crop Dmg	Event Type and Details
ILLINOIS, Central				
SHELBY COUNTY --- 3.0 W HERBORN [39.30, -88.68]				
	09/03/08 13:27 CST		0	Lightning
	09/03/08 13:27 CST	1	0	Source: Law Enforcement
An adult male, age unknown, was struck by lightning while hunting at Hidden Springs State Forest. He was transported to a local hospital and treated for his injuries.				
Scattered thunderstorms developed in southeast Illinois during the afternoon of 9/3, to the northeast of the remnants of Hurricane Gustav. An adult, male was injured by a lightning strike while hunting near a wooded area in southeast Shelby County.				
DOUGLAS COUNTY --- ARTHUR [39.72, -88.47]				
	09/08/08 13:02 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	09/08/08 13:03 CST		0	Source: Mesonet
EDGAR COUNTY --- PARIS [39.62, -87.70]				
	09/08/08 19:37 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	09/08/08 19:38 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Low pressure tracked from the Mississippi River Valley into Northern Illinois during the afternoon of 9/8, dragging a cold front into central Illinois. Scattered thunderstorms developed along the front, particularly near the I-72 corridor. A few of the storms produced marginally severe hail.				
CASS COUNTY --- 1.0 NW ASHLAND [39.89, -90.03], 0.5 ESE ASHLAND [39.88, -90.01], 1.8 ENE ASHLAND [39.89, -89.99], 1.6 NNE ASHLAND [39.90, -90.01]				
	09/11/08 14:00 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/11/08 16:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
Multiple roads were closed in Ashland due to high water.				
CASS COUNTY --- 1.1 NW ARENZVILLE [39.88, -90.39], 0.0 NW ARENZVILLE [39.87, -90.37], 0.9 NNE ARENZVILLE [39.88, -90.36], 1.1 N ARENZVILLE [39.89, -90.37]				
	09/11/08 14:00 CST	20K		Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/11/08 16:00 CST	0		Source: Newspaper
Six homes in Arenzville had 1.5 feet of water in their basements due to heavy rainfall.				
MENARD COUNTY --- 2.4 WSW LINCNS NEW SALEM ST [39.95, -89.87], 1.1 SSW PETERSBURG [40.01, -89.86], 1.7 ESE PETERSBURG [40.01, -89.82], 1.1 S LINCNS NEW SALEM ST [39.95, -89.83]				
	09/11/08 14:00 CST	0		Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/11/08 16:00 CST	0		Source: Newspaper
Route 97 near New Salem State Park in Petersburg was closed due to high water.				
MORGAN COUNTY --- 2.9 WSW JACKSONVILLE ARPT [39.75, -90.28], 1.1 SW JACKSONVILLE [39.72, -90.24], 1.8 ENE JACKSONVILLE [39.74, -90.20], 0.3 S JACKSONVILLE ARPT [39.77, -90.23]				
	09/11/08 14:00 CST	25K		Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/11/08 16:00 CST	0		Source: Newspaper
Numerous basements were flooded in Jacksonville due to heavy rainfall.				
A stationary frontal boundary draped across central Illinois served as the focal point for showers and thunderstorms during the afternoon of 09/11/2008. Areas along and west of the I-55 corridor recorded between 2 and 4 inches of rain, as storms repeatedly rolled over the same locations. As a result, localized flooding occurred from near Jacksonville northeastward toward Bloomington.				
PEORIA COUNTY --- PEORIA [40.70, -89.60]				
	09/12/08 21:40 CST		5K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 52 kt)
	09/12/08 21:41 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
A tree was blown down onto a house in Peoria.				

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PEORIA COUNTY --- (PIA)GTR PEORIA ARPT [40.67, -89.68], 0.9 S OAKWOOD [40.66, -89.62], 0.7 ESE LONG SHR PARK [40.74, -89.56], 0.5 ENE RADNOR [40.78, -89.64]				
	09/12/08 22:00 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/12/08 23:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
Numerous streets in Peoria had water flowing over them due to heavy rainfall. In addition, many basements were flooded across the city.				
A cold front settled southward into central Illinois during the evening of 9/12, triggering scattered thunderstorms. Locally heavy rainfall occurred, mainly north of I-72. In addition, isolated wind damage was reported with a few of the storms.				
SCHUYLER COUNTY --- 1.8 ESE DODDSVILLE [40.27, -90.62], 2.9 NNE LITTLETON [40.27, -90.60], 2.6 E DODDSVILLE [40.28, -90.60], 1.4 ESE DODDSVILLE [40.27, -90.62]				
	09/13/08 16:26 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 18:26 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
High water was flowing across Blue Ring Road and County Line Road at US-67.				
FULTON COUNTY --- 1.1 W BERNADOTTE [40.40, -90.34], 0.9 SE BERNADOTTE [40.39, -90.31], 1.9 NE SEVILLE [40.50, -90.31], 1.2 ENE MARIETTA [40.50, -90.36]				
	09/13/08 16:54 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 18:54 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
Water was flowing across numerous roads in Bernadotte and Seville.				
FULTON COUNTY --- 2.0 S CANTON [40.54, -90.03], 2.0 S CANTON [40.54, -90.03], 1.8 N DUNFERMLINE [40.53, -90.03], 1.9 N DUNFERMLINE [40.53, -90.03]				
	09/13/08 16:54 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 18:54 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
High water was flowing across Route 78 two miles south of Canton.				
FULTON COUNTY --- 2.3 NNE CUBA [40.53, -90.18], 1.4 W CIVER [40.52, -90.15], 2.2 NNW CIVER [40.55, -90.13], 0.9 SSE FIATT [40.56, -90.18]				
	09/13/08 16:54 CST		35K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 18:54 CST		0	Source: Newspaper
A road near Lake Wee-Ma-Tuk was washed away.				
FULTON COUNTY --- 2.7 WNW FARMINGTON [40.72, -90.05], 5.2 ENE FARMINGTON [40.73, -89.91], 4.4 ESE FARMINGTON [40.68, -89.92], 2.3 WSW FARMINGTON [40.69, -90.04]				
	09/13/08 16:54 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 18:54 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
High water was flowing across Route 116 near Farmington.				
WOODFORD COUNTY --- 0.6 SSW ROANOKE [40.79, -89.20], 1.7 S ROANOKE [40.78, -89.20], 1.7 SSE ROANOKE [40.78, -89.19], 0.7 SE ROANOKE [40.79, -89.19]				
	09/13/08 17:43 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 19:43 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
County highway 13 one mile south of Roanoke was closed due to high water.				
PEORIA COUNTY --- 0.5 W PEORIA [40.70, -89.61], 0.6 NE WEST PEORIA [40.71, -89.62], 0.7 SSE EL VISTA [40.71, -89.62], 0.7 NNW PEORIA [40.71, -89.61]				
	09/13/08 18:00 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 20:00 CST		0	Source: Newspaper
I-74 near the North University Street exit in Peoria was flooded due to heavy rainfall. A vehicle became stranded in the high water.				
CASS COUNTY --- 2.0 S BEARDSTOWN [39.99, -90.43], 1.4 S BEARDSTOWN [40.00, -90.43], 1.7 N BEARDSTOWN ARPT [40.01, -90.40], 1.1 N BEARDSTOWN ARPT [40.00, -90.40]				

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	09/13/08 20:00 CST		60K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

Water from Indian Creek was flooding homes in a subdivision 2 miles south of Beardstown.

CASS COUNTY --- ASHLAND [39.88, -90.02], 0.7 E ASHLAND [39.88, -90.01], 1.6 NE ASHLAND [39.90, -90.00], 1.4 N ASHLAND [39.90, -90.02]				
	09/13/08 20:00 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

Numerous streets were flooded in Ashland.

CASS COUNTY --- PHILADELPHIA [39.92, -90.12], 2.6 ESE VIRGINIA [39.93, -90.18], 2.6 ESE VIRGINIA [39.94, -90.17], 0.7 N PHILADELPHIA [39.93, -90.12]				
	09/13/08 20:00 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

Route 125 northwest of Philadelphia was closed due to high water.

CHAMPAIGN COUNTY --- 1.0 NW STALEY [40.13, -88.33], 1.7 S URBANA [40.08, -88.21], 2.0 ESE URBANA ILLINOIS ARPT [40.14, -88.16], 3.5 WNW LEVERETT [40.20, -88.26]				
	09/13/08 20:00 CST		85K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:00 CST		0	Source: Newspaper

More than 50 homes and basements were flooded in Champaign. In addition, numerous streets were flooded across the city due to heavy rain.

CHAMPAIGN COUNTY --- 1.7 SSE PROSPECT [40.30, -88.20], 2.3 S CHANUTE AFB [40.27, -88.14], 1.4 WNW DILLSBURG [40.33, -88.11], 1.8 NNW RANTOUL [40.34, -88.16]				
	09/13/08 20:00 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:00 CST		0	Source: Newspaper

Multiple roads in the city of Rantoul were closed due to high water.

MCLEAN COUNTY --- 1.4 W GRIDLEY [40.75, -88.91], 1.4 S GRIDLEY [40.73, -88.88], 0.9 E GRIDLEY [40.75, -88.86], 0.6 NNW GRIDLEY [40.76, -88.88]				
	09/13/08 20:00 CST		35K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:00 CST		0	Source: Newspaper

Market Street in Gridley was flooded due to heavy rainfall. A small portion of East Third Street caved in.

MORGAN COUNTY --- 3.3 W JACKSONVILLE [39.73, -90.29], 2.8 SSE JACKSONVILLE [39.69, -90.21], 1.5 SSW BROWNTOWN [39.75, -90.18], 1.6 W JACKSONVILLE ARPT [39.77, -90.26]				
	09/13/08 20:00 CST		35K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:00 CST		0	Source: Newspaper

The basement at Westfair Christian Academy in Jacksonville was flooded.

SCOTT COUNTY --- 1.3 NW ALSEY [39.56, -90.45], 0.2 E ALSEY [39.55, -90.43], 1.0 NNE ALSEY [39.56, -90.42], 1.5 NNW ALSEY [39.57, -90.44]				
	09/13/08 20:00 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

Alsey Smith Road in Alsey was closed due to high water.

SCOTT COUNTY --- WINCHESTER [39.63, -90.47], 2.0 NNW ALSEY [39.58, -90.45], 3.1 NNE ALSEY [39.59, -90.41], 2.2 ENE WINCHESTER [39.64, -90.43]				
	09/13/08 20:00 CST		25K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

Route 106 south of Winchester was closed due to high water. In addition, there were numerous reports of flooded basements in Winchester.

WOODFORD COUNTY --- 0.7 WNW SPRING BAY [40.82, -89.53], 0.2 S SPRING BAY [40.82, -89.52], 0.7 NE SPRING BAY [40.83, -89.51], 0.8 N SPRING BAY [40.83, -89.52]				
	09/13/08 20:00 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:00 CST		0	Source: Newspaper

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Funks Run Creek overflowed its banks and flooded streets in Spring Bay near Mill Point Park. Some small levees along the creek also gave way, aggravating the flooding in that area.				
WOODFORD COUNTY --- 1.5 W ROANOKE [40.80, -89.23], 1.4 S ROANOKE [40.78, -89.20], 0.3 NNW ROANOKE SCHERER ARPT [40.80, -89.17], 1.1 NNE ROANOKE [40.81, -89.19]				
	09/13/08 20:00 CST		55K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:00 CST		0	Source: Newspaper
Panther Creek rose out of its banks and flooded Main Street and Mill Street in Roanoke...with 1.5 feet of water coming into the American Legion. Numerous other homes and businesses around Roanoke had water in their basements.				
WOODFORD COUNTY --- 0.6 WNW SPRING BAY [40.82, -89.53], 0.3 SSE SPRING BAY [40.82, -89.52], 0.7 NE SPRING BAY [40.83, -89.51], 0.7 N SPRING BAY [40.83, -89.52]				
	09/13/08 20:26 CST		90K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:26 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
Several homes were flooded in Spring Bay, prompting boat evacuations.				
WOODFORD COUNTY --- 1.5 NW GERMANTOWN HILLS [40.79, -89.50], 0.3 W EDGEWOOD HILLS [40.75, -89.48], 0.4 NE METAMORA [40.78, -89.34], 2.5 NNW METAMORA [40.81, -89.37]				
	09/13/08 20:26 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	09/13/08 22:26 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
Numerous roads with water flowing across them in Germantown Hills and Metamora.				
A nearly stationary frontal boundary interacting with a very warm and moist airmass brought heavy rainfall to much of central Illinois, particularly along and west of I-55. This rainfall, on top of rains from the past couple of days, aggravated the flooding situation across west-central Illinois.				
(IL-Z056) COLES, (IL-Z062) CUMBERLAND, (IL-Z071) CLAY, (IL-Z073) LAWRENCE				
	09/14/08 10:00 CST		59K	High Wind (MAX 52 kt)
	09/14/08 10:46 CST		10K	
Remnants of Hurricane Ike tracked across southeast Illinois on 9/14, producing high winds of between 50 and 60mph. Considerable wind damage was reported, particularly across Lawrence County.				